



IAPD Report

KARL THOMAS CRYTSER

CRD# 1041300

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IAPD Information About Representatives

IAPD offers information on all current-and many former representatives. Investors are strongly encouraged to use IAPD to check the background of representatives before deciding to conduct, or continue to conduct, business with them.

What is included in a IAPD report?

IAPD reports for individual representatives include information such as employment history, professional qualifications, disciplinary actions, criminal convictions, civil judgments and arbitration awards.

It is important to note that the information contained in an IAPD report may include pending actions or allegations that may be contested, unresolved or unproven. In the end, these actions or allegations may be resolved in favor of the representative, or concluded through a negotiated settlement with no admission or finding of wrongdoing.

Where did this information come from?

The information contained in IAPD comes from the Investment Adviser Registration Depository (IARD) and FINRA's Central Registration Depository, or CRD, (see more on CRD below) and is a combination of:

- information the states require representatives and firms to submit as part of the registration and licensing process, and
- information that state regulators report regarding disciplinary actions or allegations against representatives.

How current is this information?

Generally, representatives are required to update their professional and disciplinary information in IARD within 30 days.

Need help interpreting this report?

For help understanding how to read this report, please consult NASAA's IAPD Tips page <http://www.nasaa.org/IAPD/IARReports.cfm>

What if I want to check the background of an Individual Broker or Brokerage Firm?

To check the background of an Individual Broker or Brokerage firm, you can search for the firm or individual in IAPD. If your search is successful, click on the link provided to view the available licensing and registration information in FINRA's BrokerCheck website.

Are there other resources I can use to check the background of investment professionals?

It is recommended that you learn as much as possible about an individual representative or Investment Adviser firm before deciding to work with them. Your state securities regulator can help you research individuals and certain firms doing business in your state. The contact information for state securities regulators can be found on the website of the North American Securities Administrators Association <http://www.nasaa.org>



Report Summary

KARL THOMAS CRYTSER (CRD# 1041300)

The report summary provides an overview of the representative's professional background and conduct. The information contained in this report has been provided by the representative, investment adviser and/or securities firms, and/or securities regulators as part of the states' investment adviser registration and licensing process. The information contained in this report was last updated by the representative, a previous employing firm, or a securities regulator on **09/05/2025**.

CURRENT EMPLOYERS

	Firm	CRD#	Registered Since
B	LPL FINANCIAL LLC	CRD# 6413	02/01/2023
IA	LPL FINANCIAL LLC	CRD# 6413	02/09/2023

QUALIFICATIONS

This representative is currently registered in **1** SRO(s) and **14** jurisdiction(s).

Is this representative currently Inactive or Suspended with any regulator? **No**

Note: Not all jurisdictions require IAR registration or may have an exemption from registration.

Additional information including this individual's qualification examinations and professional designations is available in the Detailed Report.

REGISTRATION HISTORY

This representative was previously registered with the following firm(s):

	FIRM	CRD#	LOCATION	REGISTRATION DATES
IA	SECURITIES AMERICA ADVISORS, INC.	110518	Trenton, NJ	11/27/2017 - 02/02/2023
B	SECURITIES AMERICA, INC.	10205	Trenton, NJ	11/06/2017 - 02/02/2023
IA	NATIONAL PLANNING CORPORATION ("NPC OF AMERICA" IN FL & NY)	29604	Trenton, NJ	05/08/2008 - 11/10/2017

For additional registration and employment history details as reported by the individual, refer to the Registration and Employment History section of the Detailed Report.

DISCLOSURE INFORMATION

Disclosure events include certain criminal charges and convictions, formal investigations and disciplinary actions initiated by regulators, customer disputes and arbitrations, and financial disclosures such as bankruptcies and unpaid judgments or liens.

Are there events disclosed about this representative? **Yes**

The following types of events are disclosed about this representative:

Type	Count
Customer Dispute	3



Qualifications

REGISTRATIONS

This section provides the SRO, states and U.S. territories in which the representative is currently registered and licensed, the category of each registration, and the date on which the registration becomes effective. This section also provides, for each firm with which the representative is currently employed, the address of each location where the representative works. This individual is currently registered with **14** jurisdiction(s) and 1 SRO(s) through his or her employer(s).

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Firm Name: **LPL FINANCIAL LLC**
Main Address: 1055 LPL WAY
FORT MILL, SC 29715
Firm ID#: 6413

	Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
B	FINRA	General Securities Principal	Approved	02/01/2023
B	FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	02/01/2023
B	Arizona	Agent	Approved	02/01/2023
B	California	Agent	Approved	02/01/2023
B	Florida	Agent	Approved	02/01/2023
B	Maryland	Agent	Approved	02/01/2023
B	Massachusetts	Agent	Approved	02/01/2023
B	New Jersey	Agent	Approved	02/01/2023
IA	New Jersey	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	02/09/2023
B	New Mexico	Agent	Approved	02/01/2023
B	North Carolina	Agent	Approved	09/05/2025
B	Ohio	Agent	Approved	02/01/2023
B	Pennsylvania	Agent	Approved	02/01/2023



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Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
B South Carolina	Agent	Approved	02/01/2023
B Tennessee	Agent	Approved	02/01/2023
B Virginia	Agent	Approved	02/01/2023
B West Virginia	Agent	Approved	02/01/2023

Branch Office Locations

LPL FINANCIAL LLC
2848 S BROAD ST
TRENTON, NJ 08610




Qualifications

PASSED INDUSTRY EXAMS




This section includes all industry exams that the representative has passed. Under limited circumstances, a representative may attain registration after receiving an exam waiver based on a combination of exams the representative has passed and qualifying work experience. Likewise a new exam requirement may be grandfathered based on a representative's specific qualifying work experience. Exam waivers and grandfathering are not included below.

This individual has passed 1 principal/supervisory exam, 3 general industry/product exams, and 2 state securities law exams.



Principal/Supervisory Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
	General Securities Principal Examination (S24)	Series 24	10/25/1989

General Industry/Product Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
	Securities Industry Essentials Examination (SIE)	SIE	10/01/2018
	General Securities Representative Examination (S7)	Series 7	12/17/1983
	Investment Company Products/Variable Contracts Representative Examination (S6)	Series 6	05/05/1982

State Securities Law Exams

	Exam	Category	Date
	Uniform Investment Adviser Law Examination (S65)	Series 65	09/10/1999
	Uniform Securities Agent State Law Examination (S63)	Series 63	04/29/1983

PROFESSIONAL DESIGNATIONS

This section details that the representative has reported **0** professional designation(s).

No information reported.



Registration & Employment History

PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED WITH THE FOLLOWING FIRMS

This representative held registrations with the following firms:

	Registration Dates	Firm Name	ID#	Branch Location
IA	11/27/2017 - 02/02/2023	SECURITIES AMERICA ADVISORS, INC.	CRD# 110518	Trenton, NJ
B	11/06/2017 - 02/02/2023	SECURITIES AMERICA, INC.	CRD# 10205	Trenton, NJ
IA	05/08/2008 - 11/10/2017	NATIONAL PLANNING CORPORATION ("NPC OF AMERICA" IN FL & NY)	CRD# 29604	Trenton, NJ
B	07/05/2006 - 11/10/2017	NATIONAL PLANNING CORPORATION	CRD# 29604	Trenton, NJ
IA	02/28/2003 - 07/06/2006	JEFFERSON PILOT SECURITIES CORP	CRD# 3870	TRENTON, NJ
B	07/08/2000 - 07/06/2006	JEFFERSON PILOT SECURITIES CORPORATION	CRD# 3870	TRENTON, NJ
IA	07/29/2002 - 03/03/2003	POLARIS ADVISORY SERVICES INC	CRD# 109435	TRENTON, NJ
B	06/02/1989 - 07/08/2000	POLARIS FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	CRD# 14521	CONCORD, NH
B	05/20/1988 - 06/10/1989	J. T. MORAN & CO., INC.	CRD# 15655	
B	06/07/1985 - 05/20/1988	BUTTONWOOD SECURITIES CORPORATION OF MASSACHUSETTS	CRD# 7303	
B	10/25/1983 - 06/18/1985	WZW FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	CRD# 5717	
B	05/06/1982 - 11/11/1983	FIRST INVESTORS CORPORATION	CRD# 305	

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Below is the representative's employment history for up to the last 10 years.

Employment Dates	Employer Name	Position	Investment Related	Employer Location
02/2023 - Present	LPL FINANCIAL	REGISTERED REPRESENTATIVE	Y	TRENTON, NJ, United States
11/2017 - 02/2023	Securities America Advisors	IAR	Y	TRENTON, NJ, United States



Registration & Employment History

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Employment Dates	Employer Name	Position	Investment Related	Employer Location
11/2017 - 02/2023	Securities America, Inc.	Registered Rep	Y	TRENTON, NJ, United States
07/2006 - 11/2017	NATIONAL PLANNING CORPORATION	REGISTERED REPRESENTATIVE	Y	TRENTON, NJ, United States

OTHER BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

This section includes information, if any, as provided by the representative regarding other business activities the representative is currently engaged in either as a proprietor, partner, officer, director, employee, trustee, agent, or otherwise. This section does not include non-investment related activity that is exclusively charitable, civic, religious, or fraternal and is recognized as tax exempt.

- 1) 01/24/2023 - Karl Cryster Financial - inv rel - Tax Prep/Accounting/CPA - Start 02/01/2023
- 2) -01/24/2023 - Karl Cryster Financial - inv rel - DBA for LPL Business (entity for LPL business) -at reported business location(s)



Disclosure Summary

Disclosure Information

What you should know about reported disclosure events:

(1) Certain thresholds must be met before an event is reported to IARD, for example:

- A law enforcement agency must file formal charges before an Investment Adviser Representative is required to report a particular criminal event.;
- A customer dispute must involve allegations that an Investment Adviser Representative engaged in activity that violates certain rules or conduct governing the industry and that the activity resulted in damages of at least \$5,000.

(2) Disclosure events in IAPD reports come from different sources:

As mentioned in the "About IAPD" section on page 1 of this report, information contained in IAPD comes from Investment Adviser Representatives, firms and regulators. When more than one of these sources reports information for the same disclosure event, all versions of the event will appear in the IAPD report. The different versions will be separated by a solid line with the reporting source labeled.

(3) There are different statuses and dispositions for disclosure events:

- A disclosure event may have a status of *pending*, *on appeal*, or *final*.
 - A "pending" disclosure event involves allegations that have not been proven or formally adjudicated.
 - A disclosure event that is "on appeal" involves allegations that have been adjudicated but are currently being appealed.
 - A "final" disclosure event has been concluded and its resolution is not subject to change.
- A final disclosure event generally has a disposition of *adjudicated*, *settled* or *otherwise resolved*.
 - An "adjudicated" matter includes a disposition by (1) a court of law in a criminal or civil matter, or (2) an administrative panel in an action brought by a regulator that is contested by the party charged with some alleged wrongdoing.
 - A "settled" matter generally represents a disposition wherein the parties involved in a dispute reach an agreement to resolve the matter. Please note that Investment Adviser Representatives and firms may choose to settle customer disputes or regulatory matters for business or other reasons.
 - A "resolved" matter usually includes a disposition wherein no payment is made to the customer or there is no finding of wrongdoing on the part of the Investment Adviser Representative. Such matters generally involve customer disputes.

(4) You may wish to contact the Investment Adviser Representatives to obtain further information regarding any of the disclosure events contained in this IAPD report.



DISCLOSURE EVENT DETAILS

When evaluating this information, please keep in mind that some items may involve pending actions or allegations that may be contested and have not been resolved or proven. The event may, in the end, be withdrawn, dismissed, resolved in favor of the Investment Adviser Representative, or concluded through a negotiated settlement with no admission or finding of wrongdoing.

This report provides the information exactly as it was reported to the Investment Adviser Registration Depository. Some of the specific data fields contained in the report may be blank if the information was not provided.

The following types of events are disclosed about this representative:

Type	Count
Customer Dispute	3

Customer Dispute

This section provides information regarding a customer dispute that was reported to the Investment Adviser Registration Depository (IARD) by the Investment Adviser Representative (IAR), an investment adviser and/or securities firm, and/or a securities regulator. The event may include a consumer-initiated, investment-related complaint, arbitration proceeding or civil suit that contains allegations of sales practice violations against the individual.

The customer dispute may be pending or may have resulted in a civil judgment, arbitration award, monetary settlement, closure without action, withdrawal, dismissal, denial, or other outcome.

Disclosure 1 of 3

Reporting Source:	Firm
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:	National Planning Corporation
Allegations:	POWER OF ATTORNEY AND SON OF CLIENT ALLEGE EXCESSIVE TRADING, UNSUITABLE INVESTMENTS, AND THAT CLIENT DID NOT UNDERSTAND PRODUCTS SHE PURCHASED
Product Type:	Annuity-Variable Mutual Fund
Alleged Damages:	\$27,000.00
Alleged Damages Amount Explanation (if amount not exact):	THE FIRM HAS MADE A GOOD FAITH DETERMINATION FOR THE ALLEGED DAMAGES AMOUNT
Is this an oral complaint?	No
Is this a written complaint?	Yes
Is this an arbitration/CFTC reparation or civil litigation?	No

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received:	08/25/2015
Complaint Pending?	No
Status:	Denied
Status Date:	12/22/2015



Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution Amount:

Reporting Source: Individual
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint: National Planning Corporation

Allegations: POWER OF ATTORNEY AND SON OF CLIENT ALLEGE EXCESSIVE TRADING, UNSUITABLE INVESTMENTS, AND THAT CLIENT DID NOT UNDERSTAND PRODUCTS SHE PURCHASED.

Product Type: Annuity-Variable
Mutual Fund

Alleged Damages: \$0.00

Alleged Damages Amount Explanation (if amount not exact): THE FIRM HAS MADE A GOOD FAITH DETERMINATION THAT THE DAMAGES FROM THE ALLEGED CONDUCT ARE GREATER THAN \$5,000.

Is this an oral complaint? No
Is this a written complaint? Yes
Is this an arbitration/CFTC reparation or civil litigation? No

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 08/25/2015
Complaint Pending? No
Status: Denied
Status Date: 12/22/2015

Settlement Amount:
Individual Contribution Amount:

Disclosure 2 of 3

Reporting Source: Firm
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint: JEFFERSON PILOT SECURITIES CORPORATION

Allegations: CLIENT ALLEGES REP MISMANAGED ACCOUNTS BY RECOMMENDING UNSUITABLE INVESTMENTS AND PROVIDING INACCURATE ADVICE PERTAINING TO A ROTH IRA CONVERSION. ALLEGATION PERIOD APPEARS TO BE JULY 2002 - JANUARY 2005 AND INVOLVES PRIMARILY MULTIPLE MUTUAL FUNDS AND SEVERAL VA ANNUITIES.

Product Type: Mutual Fund(s)

Other Product Type(s): VA ANNUITIES

Alleged Damages: \$216,000.00



Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 09/18/2006
Complaint Pending? No
Status: Arbitration/Reparation
Status Date: 09/18/2006

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution Amount:

Arbitration Information

Arbitration/Reparation Claim filed with and Docket/Case No.: NASD CASE NO. 06-03779

Date Notice/Process Served: 09/18/2006

Arbitration Pending? No

Disposition: Settled

Disposition Date: 11/07/2007

Monetary Compensation Amount: \$45,000.00

Individual Contribution Amount: \$0.00

Reporting Source: Individual
Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint: JEFFERSON PILOT SECURITIES CORPORATION

Allegations: CLIENT ALLEGES REP MISMANAGED ACCOUNTS BY RECOMMENDING UNSUITABLE INVESTMENTS AND PROVIDING INACCURATE ADVICE PERTAINING TO A ROTH IRA CONVERSION. ALLEGATION PERIOD APPEARS TO BE JULY 2002 - JANUARY 2005 AND INVOLVES PRIMARILY MULTIPLE MUTUAL FUNDS AND SEVERAL VA ANNUITIES.

Product Type: Annuity(ies) - Variable

Alleged Damages: \$216,000.00

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 09/18/2006
Complaint Pending? No
Status: Arbitration/Reparation
Status Date: 09/18/2006

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution Amount:

Arbitration Information



Arbitration/Reparation Claim filed with and Docket/Case No.: NASD CASE NO. 06-03779

Date Notice/Process Served: 09/18/2006

Arbitration Pending? No

Disposition: Settled

Disposition Date: 11/07/2007

Monetary Compensation Amount: \$45,000.00

Individual Contribution Amount: \$0.00

Disclosure 3 of 3

Reporting Source: Individual

Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint: JEFFERSON PILOT SECURITIES

Allegations: CLIENT ALLEGES THAT THE REPRESENTATIVE FAILED TO FOLLOW HIS INSTRUCTIONS RESULTING IN FINANCAL LOSSES. COMPENSATORY DAMAGES ARE NOT SPECIFIED.

Product Type: Mutual Fund(s)

Alleged Damages: \$0.00

Customer Complaint Information

Date Complaint Received: 08/24/2004

Complaint Pending? No

Status: Denied

Status Date: 03/23/2005

Settlement Amount:

Individual Contribution Amount:



End of Report

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